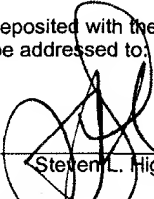




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In re Application of:

Sean M. Kerwin et al.

Serial No.: 09/940,173

Filed: August 27, 2001

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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO  
NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS  
DATED DECEMBER 10, 2001**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Commissioner:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of one month to and including March 11, 2001 in which to respond to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated December 10, 2001.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed, which is the process fee (\$55.00) for a one-month extension of time.

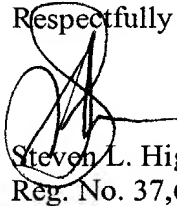
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